

### Newsletter for the Weeks of November 27 – December 14, 2023

Dear Parents,

Hope you have a great Thanksgiving with your families and friends. We have 14 very busy school days until Winter break. I can't believe how fast this first semester has gone.

#### Signups:

Gingerbread helpers:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0c44a9af2fa6ff2-gingerbread

#### Holidays Around the World

2<sup>nd</sup> graders will be learning about many of the different holiday celebrations around the world. If you would like to Volunteer to share about your family's holiday tradition or celebration, click this link and sign up below. https://docs.google.com/document/d/ 158 Irbu8KEVgR4gYQ7\_c8WrrtYbV24C70/edit

### Book order:

The due date is November 30 so the book can be here before winter break. (one-time class activation code is GQKYN) https://clubs.scholastic.com/home

#### Please send in food to donate to the Ozark Food Harvest.

There is a box right outside the 2nd grade room. Thanks! Ozarks Food Harvest is the Feeding America food bank for southwest Missouri, serving 250 hunger relief organizations across 28 Ozarks counties. The Food Bank reaches approximately 80,000 individuals monthly and distributes 12 million pounds of food annually. Greenwood elementary students will be collecting nonperishable food items in November and December. Please send items to school if you would like to participate. Collection Boxes will be in classrooms and the hallway. Thank you for helping feed Springfield.





### Other Important Information:

Nov. 29 Chapter 4 Math Test

8:30-9:30 Volunteers assemble gingerbread frames

Nov. 30 10:00-11:00 Parent Volunteers to help decorate.

Dec. 1 8:30-9:15 Music program practice

Dec. 5 12:30-1:15 Music Practice Dec. 6 12:30-1:15 Music Practice

\*Be at school at 6:10 for Holiday program.

Dec. 13 Chapter 6 Math test

Dec. 14 Christmas Holiday Class Party at 9:30-10:30 a.m.

### Gingerbread Holiday Activities –

In Language Arts for the week of Nov.27-Dec 1<sup>st</sup> we are going to read different versions of "The Gingerbread Man."

Sign up to Volunteer: SignUpGenius

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0c44a9af2fa6ff2-gingerbread

Volunteers needed to:

1) Assembling the Gingerbread Houses:

On Wednesday the 29<sup>th</sup>, we need help from 8:15 to 9:30 to assemble the Gingerbread houses. I will need 5-6 helpers to assemble. We also need 3 to 4 glue guns on Wednesday for putting the houses together. Anyone can come, even if the signup is full.

2) Decorating the Gingerbread Houses:

I could use the help of 5-6 parents on Thursday at 10:00 a.m.

Please sign up on SignUp Genius if you can help on Thursday or Friday or both. Anyone can come, even if the signup is full.

The following supplies are needed for our gingerbread houses that we are making on Thursday morning (Nov.30)

Please let me know if you can donate any of the items listed below.

Need: 4 Boxes of Graham Crackers

6 jars of White icing/frosting (not whipped)

I pack of Paper plates 30 count

We have some candy from Halloween that has been donated for decorations. You may send extra decorative items, candies, pretzels, etc. in addition, if you choose!

## Academic Adventures:

### Language Arts

Nov. 27-Dec. 1 - Gingerbread Stories

Dec. 4-14 - Holidays Around the World Activities

Spelling:

Nov. 27 – Dec. I Lesson 13

Dec. 4<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Lesson 14

Dec. 11-14<sup>th</sup> No spelling test

### Math

Monday Chapter 4 Lesson 9 Tuesday Chapter 4 Review

Wednesday Chapter 4 Test

Thursday Chapter 6 Lesson 2 Add Hundreds

Friday Chapter 6 Lesson 3 Mentally Add 10 or 100

Monday Chapter 6 Lesson 4 Regroup I's to Add Tuesday Chapter 6 Lesson 5 Regroup 10's to Add

Wednesday Chapter 6 Lesson 6 Add 3-Digit Numbers
Thursday Chapter 6 Lesson 7 Rewrite 3-Digit Addition

Friday Chapter 6 Lesson 8 Problem Solving using 3-Digit Numbers

Monday Chapter 6 Chapter 6 Centers and Hands on activities

Tuesday Chapter 6 Review objectives from Chapter 6

Wednesday Chapter 6 Chapter 6 test Thursday Winter Math Activities

# HOMEWORK

#### **EACH NIGHT:**

\*Read for at least 15 minutes and record the number of minutes read on the reading calendar log in the VIP folder.

### Reading Fluency every night and...

MONDAY- Nov. 27 Math HMK: Chapter 4 Lesson 9 TUESDAY Nov. 28 Math HMK: Chapter 4 Review

WEDNESDAY Nov. 29 Math HMK: None

THURSDAY Nov. 30 Math HMK: Chapter 6 Lesson 2

FRIDAY, Dec. 1 - NO Homework

### Reading Fluency every night and...

MONDAY, Dec. 4 – Math HMK: Ch 6 Lesson4
TUESDAY, Dec. 5 - Math HMK: Chapter 6 Lesson 5
WEDNESDAY, Dec. 6 - Math HMK: Chapter 6 Lesson 6
THURSDAY, Dec. 7 – Math HMK: Chapter 6 Lesson 7
FRIDAY - NO Homework

### No Reading Fluency this week.

MONDAY, Dec. 12 - Math HMK: Chapter 6 Lesson 8 TUESDAY, Dec. 13- Math HMK: Chapter 6 Review

WEDNESDAY - NO Homework
THURSDAY - NO Homework

FRIDAY - NO SCHOOL

### Lots of time to READ! ©

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